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Examiner: **J. Brockett**
Applicant(s): **Lee E. Cannon**
Serial No.: **09/400,378**

Group Art Unit No.: **3713**
Filing date: **September 21, 1999**
For (title): **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
IMPLEMENTING A COINLESS GAMING
ENVIRONMENT**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time is requested as marked below:

ACTION FOR WHICH EXTENSION IS REQUESTED

- ☐ Response to non-final office action mailed (timely and complete response not previously filed).
- ☒ Response to final office action mailed **August 17, 2001** (application not placed in a condition for allowance by a previous timely filed response).
- ☐ Filing of Appellant's brief, notice of appeal dated .
- ☐ Filing of a continuing application having an express abandonment of this application conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.
- ☒ Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

EXTENSION REQUEST PERIOD AND FEE CALCULATION

- ☒ The period for taking the above-identified action without extension fees expired on **November 17, 2001**.
- ☐ The period for taking the above-identified action has previously been extended (by the payment of the appropriate extension fee) to .
The requested extension period (and associated fee) is:

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§ 1.17(a) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 55.00 - small entity* |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 110.00 |
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§ 1.17(b) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 200.00 - small entity* |
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§ 1.17(c) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 460.00 - small entity* |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months
§ 1.17(d) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 720.00 - small entity* |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 1,440.00 |

Comments:

- ☐ *Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ *A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 which may be due should be charged to deposit account no. 20-1469. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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